



VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION OF SURVEYORS
Legislative Committee

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Ref: IB Doc 11-109, LightSquared, LLC

Dear Fcc,

It is the Virginia Association of Surveyors position that this new broad band technology while unique in nature and very powerful is a major hindrance to our capability to perform our jobs to the necessary accuracy set by the United States Government and the Department of Professional Occupational Regulations (DPOR).

The frequency interference with our satellite usage will cause catastrophic affects to all industries using GPS, the fact that they cannot show relevant testing to the contrary shows that there is not a real fix to this issue.

We urge you to please postpone any approval of this companies request until they can significantly change how this interference can be stopped.

We have had talks with many legislators in the US Government and the Virginia Government relating to the issues that have been brought forth by the existing tests performed by the GPS community and the Telecommunication Community.

The health and safety of our nation is at stake along with the millions of displaced engineers, architects, surveyors, farmers and military personnel. It has been proven that the allowance of this company's agenda will hurt the Department of Defense's ability to work at its best capacity for protecting this nation. The FAA has many concerns relating to the GPS interference related to the navigational instrumentation the planes use for flying.

Again please consider our country's future problems if this license is granted and allowed to move forward with their plans.

Sincerely.

Russell E. Nixon, Legislative Committee,